



House of Representatives

File No. 797

General Assembly

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House Joint Resolution No. 88
As Amended by House
Amendment Schedule "A"

Approved by the Legislative Commissioner
May 31, 2003

***RESOLUTION REJECTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE CLAIMS
COMMISSIONER WITH REGARD TO THE CLAIM OF CONNIE JANTY.***

Resolved by this Assembly:

- 1 That the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner, file number
- 2 18516 of said commissioner, that no award be granted to Connie Janty
- 3 on her claim against the state in excess of seven thousand five hundred
- 4 dollars and that permission to sue be denied, is rejected and Connie
- 5 Janty is authorized to institute and prosecute to final judgment an
- 6 action against the state to recover damages as compensation for
- 7 personal injuries allegedly suffered by her on February 4, 2000. Such
- 8 action shall be brought not later than one year from the date of the
- 9 final adoption by the General Assembly of this resolution.

The following fiscal impact statement and bill analysis are prepared for the benefit of members of the General Assembly, solely for the purpose of information, summarization, and explanation, and do not represent the intent of the General Assembly or either House thereof for any purpose:

OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact:

Agency Affected	Fund-Type	FY 04 \$	FY 05 \$
Adjudicated Claims (Comptroller)	GF - Potential Cost	Greater than 15,000	None

Note: GF=General Fund

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

The resolution grants Connie Janty permission to sue the state to recover damages for personal injuries allegedly suffered as a result of negligence by the Department of Transportation. She is seeking to recover in excess of \$15,000. Payment of any judgment would be made from the Adjudicated Claims account.¹ It is anticipated that the Attorney General would represent the state in this matter. Consequently, there would be no additional cost to the state for legal representation.

House Amendment "A" rejected the recommendation of the Claims Commissioner and granted Connie Janty permission to sue the state.

¹ The Adjudicated Claims account is a non-appropriated, General Fund account within the State Comptroller's agency for administrative purposes. Payments from this account would reduce a surplus or increase a deficit in the General Fund.

OLR Bill Analysis

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***RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE
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SUMMARY:

The Office of Legislative Research does not analyze Resolutions.

COMMITTEE ACTION

Judiciary Committee

Joint Favorable Report

Yea 39 Nay 0